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cc: Peter
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► Mine Planning Department

Imerys Perlite USA, Inc.

December 27, 2013

Peter Brinton
DOGM
Dept. of Natural Resources
1594 West North Temple, Ste 1210
Salt Lake City, UT 84114-5801

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Dear Mr. Brinton,

As we discussed previously, Jonna True has retired and I am now handling her former responsibilities. This change along with updates to the officer names and titles, are reflected in the application to update the NOI for SMO permit ML 41981, Black Springs Mine, Imerys Perlite USA (fka Harborlite).

Please find attached the following documents for SMO permit ML 41981, Black Springs Mine, Imerys Perlite USA, Inc.:

- Small Mining Operations Progress Report (MR-AR; 1 pg)
- SMO annual permit fee (Check Number 600003560, \$150.00; 1 pg)
- Application to Revise a NOI to Commence SMO or Exploration (MR-REV-SMO; 1 pg)
- Updated pages of NOI to Commence SMO (MR-SMO; 4 pgs)

Thank you for your time and help. Please, let me know if any additional information is needed.

All the best,

Tanya Taylor
Analytical Geologist
Acting Lands & Reclamation Manager

Enclosures (MR-AR, Check Number 600003560, MR-REV-SMO, MR-SMO pgs 1-3 & 7)

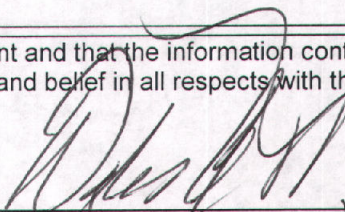
CC: **Lease Administrator**
John Blake
Deputy Assistant Director/Minerals, SITLA
675 East 500 South, Ste 500
Salt Lake City, UT 84102-2818

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Application to Revise a Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations or Exploration

Operator: Imerys Perlite USA, Inc.			
Mine Name: Black Springs Mine		File Number: E or S / / S/027/0089	
Provide a detailed listing of all changes to the Notice that will be required as a result of this change. Individually list all maps and drawings that are to be added, replaced, or removed from the Notice. Include page, section and drawing numbers as part of the description.			
DETAILED SCHEDULE OF CHANGES TO THE NOTICE			
Description of map, text, or materials to be changed			
ADD	REPLACE	REMOVE	Pages 1 - 3, Section I. General Information
ADD	REPLACE	REMOVE	Page 7, Section VII. Signature Requirement
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I hereby certify that I am a responsible official of the applicant and that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my information and belief in all respects with the laws of Utah in reference to commitments and obligations, herein.

<div style="text-align: center;">Douglas A. Smith</div> <hr/> <div>Print Name</div>	<div style="text-align: center;"> _____, VP & General Manager</div> <div>Sign Name, Position</div> <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 20px;">12/16/2013 _____ Date</div>
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Return to:

State of Utah
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
Attn: Minerals Regulatory Program
1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210
Box 145801
Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801
Phone: (801) 538-5291 Fax: (801) 359-3940

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File #: _____	
Approved: _____	
Bond Adjustment: from (\$) _____	
to \$ _____	

Assigned DOGM File No.: S/02710089
DOGM Lead: Peter
Permit Fee \$ _____ Ck# _____

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DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING**

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO COMMENCE SMALL MINING OPERATIONS

The information requirements of this form are based on provisions of the Mined Land Reclamation Act, Title 40-8, Utah Code Annotated 1987, and the General Rules as promulgated under the Utah Minerals Regulatory Program (R647). The rules and Act are available online at <http://www.rules.utah.gov/publicat/code/r647/r647.htm> and http://le.utah.gov/~code/TITLE40/40_08.htm.

Cultural Resources Survey: To fulfill its obligations under Utah Code Annotated 9-8-404, the Division needs cultural resource (archaeology) information. The amount and type of information required will depend on the mine location, the history of previous disturbance, and other factors. Please contact the Division for further information.

A permit fee of \$150 must accompany this application (Utah Code Ann. §40-8-7(1)(i)) and is due annually.

"Small Mining Operations" are operations which have a disturbed area of ten or fewer surface acres at any time in unincorporated areas, or five acres or fewer in incorporated areas.

I. GENERAL INFORMATION (Rule R647-3-104)

1. Name of Mine: BLACK SPRINGS MINE
2.A. Name of Entity Applying for a Permit: IMERYS PERLITE USA, INC.
Contact (Authorized Officer): Tanya R. Taylor
Mailing Address: 1732 N. First St, Ste 450
City, State, Zip: San Jose, CA 95112
Phone: (408) 643 - 0200 Fax: (408) 643 - 0298
E-mail Address: _____

Entity is a: (☒) Corporation, (☐) LLC, (☐) Sole Proprietorship (dba), (☐) Individual, (☐) Partnership (☐ General, or ☐ limited), (☐) Other (specify type) _____

Business Entity (not individuals) must be registered (and maintain registration) with the State of Utah, Division of Corporations (DOC) If not currently registered, contact www.commerce.utah.gov to renew or apply.

- 2.B. Are you currently registered to do business in the State of Utah? (☒) Yes (☐) No
Business Entity #: 1194304-0143
Local Business License #: Conditional Use Permit (if required)
Issued by: County: Millard County or City: _____

Registered Utah Agent (as identified with the Utah DOC) (if individual leave blank):

Name: Prentice Hall Corporation Title: Registered Agent
Address: 2180 South 1300 East, Ste 650
City, State, Zip: Salt Lake City, UT 84106
Phone: (800) 927 - 9800 Fax: _____
E-mail Address: _____

2.C. Entity's Representative(s) (if different from #2A) authorized and designated to receive notices of violation, cessation orders, and all other notices to be given to the permittee or operator by the Division.

Name: Tanya Taylor Title: Acting Lands & Reclamation Mgr
Address: 2500 Miguelito Road
City, State, Zip: Lompoc, CA 93436
Phone: (805) 737 - 2448 Fax: (805) 737 - 1285
Emergency, Weekend, or Holiday Phone: (805) 291 - 6587
E-mail Address: tanya.taylor@imerys.com

Name: Michel Houseman Title: Mgr Mine Planning & Exploration
Address: 150 E Main St, Ste 320
City, State, Zip: Fernley, NV 89408
Phone: (775) 835 - 6266 x 2 Fax: (775) 835 - 6550
Emergency, Weekend, or Holiday Phone: (541) 429 - 2075
E-mail Address: mike.houseman@imerys.com

3. If Business is a Sole Proprietor (dba) or Individual:

Name of Owner: _____ Title: _____
Business Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Phone: _____ Fax: _____
E-mail Address: _____

If Business is a Corporation:

Name of Officers: Douglas A. Smith Title: V.P. and General Manager
Name: Lucie Gouanelle Gardette Title: Treasurer-Controller
Name: Catherine Caouette Title: Assistant Secretary & Corp Counsel
Name: Susan B. Radcliffe Title: Secretary
Headquarters Address: 1732 N. First St., Ste 450
City, State, Zip: San Jose, CA 95112
Phone: (408) 643 - 0200 Fax: (408) 643 - 0298
E-mail Address: _____

If Business is a Limited Liability Company: Member Managed (☐) Manager Managed (☐)

Name of 1st Member/Manager: _____ Title: _____
Business Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Phone: _____ Fax: _____
E-mail Address: _____

Name of 2nd Member/Manager: _____ Title: _____
Business Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Phone: _____ Fax: _____
E-mail Address: _____

If Business is a Partnership:

Names of Partners: _____
Business Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Phone: _____ Fax: _____
E-mail Address: _____

If Business is a Partnership:

Names of Partners: _____
Business Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Phone: _____ Fax: _____
E-mail Address: _____

5. **Ownership of Land Surface:**

Private (Fee) () BLM () US Forest Service ()

State Trust Land/School Sections (**X**) State Sovereign Lands ()

Other (please describe):

Name SITLA Address 675 East 500 South, Ste 500, Salt Lake City, UT 84102

Name _____ Address _____

Name _____ Address _____

Name _____ Address _____

6. **Ownership of Minerals:**

Private (Fee) () BLM () US Forest Service ()

State Trust Land/School Sections (**X**) State Sovereign Lands ()

Other (please describe):

Name SITLA Address 675 East 500 South, Ste 500, Salt Lake City, UT 84102

Name _____ Address _____

Name _____ Address _____

Name _____ Address _____

BLM Claim Number(s): _____

Utah State Lease Number(s): ML 41981

BLM/USFS Lease or Project File Number(s): _____

Name of Lessee(s): Imerys Perlite USA, Inc

7. **Have the above surface and mineral owners been notified in writing?** Yes **X** No _____

If no, why not? _____

8. **Does the Entity have legal right to enter** and conduct mining operations on the land covered by this notice? Yes **X** No _____

What is the pre-mining land use, i.e. cropland, grazing, wildlife habitat? Minor excavations prior to SMO; grazing/wildlife habitat adjacent to pit.

What is the postmining land use? Grazing/wildlife

*Please be advised that if State Trust Lands are involved, notification to the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining alone does not satisfy the notification requirements of Mineral Leases upon State Trust Lands. Exploration or mining activity on State Trust Lands requires a minimum of 60 days notice to the Trust Lands Administration **prior** to commencing any activities. Please contact the School Institutional Trust Lands Administration (SITLA) at (801) 538-5508 for notification requirements.*

II. **PROJECT LOCATION & MAP** (Rule R647-3-105)

1. **Project Location & Map** (legal description):

County(ies): Millard County

____ 1/4, of ____ 1/4, of NW 1/4, Section: 2 Township: 24S Range: 9W

____ 1/4, of ____ 1/4, of ____ 1/4, Section: ____ Township: ____ Range: ____

____ 1/4, of ____ 1/4, of ____ 1/4, Section: ____ Township: ____ Range: ____

UTM East: _____ (if known) UTM North: _____ (If known)

Name of Quad Map for Location: Cruz Utah Quad Map

2. **Is the project within an incorporated area?** () Yes (**X**) No

If yes, what is the town or city? _____

VII. SIGNATURE REQUIREMENT

CERTIFICATION

I state under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Utah and the United States of America that:

- a. I have read this form and declare the information, statements and/or documentation are true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief; AND
- b. I commit to the reclamation of the aforementioned small mining project as required by the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act (40-8) and the rules as specified by the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining.
- c. **This certification must be signed by:** (1.) an executive officer if the applicant is a corporation; (2.) a partner if applicant is a partnership (general or limited); (3.) the owner if applicant is a sole proprietorship; ~~or~~ (4.) the member or manager if applicant is a limited liability company.

Signature:  _____

Date: 12/10/2013

Name (typed or printed): Douglas A. Smith

Title/Position (if applicable): V.P. and General Manager